

eFAST Open Season Mandatory Market Survey (DTFAWA-13-R-00004)

All vendors that wish to submit a proposal to the eFAST SIR MUST respond to this market survey in accordance with the instructions provided below.

This announcement is NOT A SCREENING INFORMATION REQUEST (SIR). Further, the FAA is not seeking or accepting unsolicited proposals.

This announcement provides a Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Market Survey - Request for Information (RFI) for the next eFAST Open Season SIR. This SIR is contemplated to be released in January, 2013.

The draft SIR for this solicitation is available at www.faa.gov/go/efast.

Current MOA Holders with an award beginning with "DTFAWA10A" that are deemed qualified will receive a Modification exercising Option Years 6 and 7 from the original MOA award and adding an additional period of performance through September 30, 2019.

Current MOA Holders with an award beginning with "DTFAWA11A" or "DTFAWA12A" that are deemed qualified will receive a Modification adding an additional period of performance through September 30, 2019.

As stated above, all vendors that wish to submit a proposal to the eFAST SIR MUST respond to this market survey in accordance with the instructions provided below. This includes current eFAST MOA (Master Ordering Agreement) Holders that are eligible to remain on the vehicle after the expiration of its initial five-year period of performance. In order to receive an extension and in accordance with the SIR, current MOA Holders must meet the appropriate small business size standards upon completion of the initial base period of performance and be deemed "qualified" to remain on the vehicle past its initial period of performance.

The Period of Performance will be from the date of award through September 30, 2019. There will be an additional five-year option period although vendors will not provide proposed pricing at this time.

Current orders/contracts that are held by MOA Holders that do not remain on the eFAST vehicle may have options exercised if it is deemed to be in the best interests of the government.

I. Background

The initial award of eFAST MOA Holders occurred in 2010 with a five-year period of performance. Additional eFAST MOA Holders were added in 2011 and 2012 with an approximately five-year period of performance. A total of 487 eFAST MOA awards have been made.

Current eFAST MOA Holders that are deemed "qualified" will receive a modification to its current agreement with an additional period of performance. New eFAST MOA Holders that are deemed "qualified" will receive a new award.

Additional information about the eFAST program can be found at www.faa.gov/go/efast. This includes the draft SIR for this requirement.

Significant additional information will be provided at time of release of the eFAST MOA SIR.

II. Program Milestones

The FAA anticipates the following eFAST Open Season milestones:

- (1) SIR Release: January 2013
- (2) Post SIR Release Conference: February 2013
- (3) Responses Due: March 2013
- (4) New Awards and Modifications Issues: May 2013.

III. Responses

As enumerated above, all potential offerors (current and prospective) that wish to submit proposals to the eFAST Open Season SIR must respond to this RFI in accordance with these instructions. Potential offerors that do not submit any response or do not submit a compliant response in accordance with these instructions will not be permitted to submit a response to the SIR.

Offerors must respond by submitting the attached Excel spreadsheet to 9-Natl-eFAST-OpenSeason@faa.gov no later than December 21, 2012 at Noon ET. The subject heading of the email must be "Market Survey" followed by the company name used in Question 1. The Excel spreadsheet must be saved with the company name used in Question 1 followed by .xls. Absolutely no modifications to the attached Excel spreadsheet may be made. Modifications to the spreadsheet will cause the response to be considered non-compliant.

IV: Additional Information

Questions regarding the mechanics of submission of the Excel spreadsheet must be sent by December 12, 2012 by Noon ET to 9-Natl-eFAST-OpenSeason@faa.gov.

Other questions regarding eFAST may be submitted as part of the Excel spreadsheet as indicated. Questions regarding eFAST may not be answered at this time but may be integrated as part of the final SIR. Offerors are strongly encouraged to review the draft SIR and other information on the eFAST website in advance of asking any questions. Several iterations of the draft SIR may be posted.

In order to submit a compliant response to the eFAST SIR, offerors will need to have significant documentation regarding its business operations. This information will include a current Dun and Bradstreet Open Ratings report and D&B Comprehensive Report. Proposed subcontractors will also require a Dun and Bradstreet Open Ratings report. Offerors may wish to ensure this information is available for its submission. Current is defined as within twelve months of the SIR due date.